ALASKA AIR GROUP, INC.

Form 4

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * HARRISON ANDREW R			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
			ALASKA AIR GROUP, INC. [ALK]	(Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify			

19300 INTERNATIONAL BLVD

(Street)

(Month/Day/Year)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

10% Owner Other (specify

02/11/2014

below) VP/PLNG & REV MGMT

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

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Person

SEATTLE, WA 98188

(City)	(State) (Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned							
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi	sed of	` ′	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
RESTRICTED STOCK UNIT	02/11/2014		A(2)	890	A	\$ 0	4,220	D	
COMMON STOCK	02/11/2014		A(3)	4,400	A	\$ 0	9,487	D	
COMMON STOCK	02/11/2014		F(4)	1,204	D	\$ 77.51	8,283	D	
COMMON STOCK	02/12/2014		S	1,640 (5)	D	\$ 77.2391	6,643	D	

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number on f Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amo Underlying Secur (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title I
EMPLOYEE STOCK OPTION (RT TO BUY)	\$ 77.51	02/11/2014		A	1,680	02/11/2015(1)	02/11/2024	COMMON STOCK

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

HARRISON ANDREW R 19300 INTERNATIONAL BLVD SEATTLE, WA 98188

VP/PLNG & REV MGMT

Signatures

JEANNE E GAMMON, ATTORNEY IN FACT FOR ANDREW R. HARRISON

02/13/2014

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) OPTIONS WILL VEST IN 25% INCREMENTS OVER FOUR YEARS (ON 2/11/15, 2/11/16, 2/11/17 AND 2/11/18).
- (2) STOCK UNITS AWARDED UNDER THE ALASKA AIR GROUP, INC. 2008 PERFORMANCE INCENTIVE PLAN ON 2/11/2014 WILL CLIFF VEST ON 2/11/2017. UNITS ARE SUBJECT TO FORFEITURE.
- (3) COMMON SHARES ISSUED UPON ATTAINING PERFORMANCE GOALS SET FOR A THREE-YEAR PERIOD ENDING 12/31/2013 IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE TERMS OF A PERFORMANCE STOCK UNIT AWARD GRANTED ON 2/7/2011 UNDER THE ISSUER'S 2008 PERFORMANCE INCENTIVE PLAN; PER APPROVAL BY THE BOARD'S COMPENSATION COMMITTEE ON 2/11/14.

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- (4) COMMON SHARES FORFEITED TO COVER PAYROLL TAXES UPON VESTING OF PERFORMANCE STOCK UNITS ON 02/11/2014.
 - THE PRICE REPORTED IN COLUMN 4 IS A WEIGHTED AVERAGE PRICE. THESE SHARES SOLD IN MULTIPLE TRANSACTIONS AT PRICES RANGING FROM \$77.2210 TO \$77.2600, INCLUSIVE. THE REPORTING PERSON
- (5) UNDERTAKES TO PROVIDE TO ALASKA AIR GROUP, ANY SECURITY HOLDER OF ALASKA AIR GROUP, OR THE STAFF OF THE SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION, UPON REQUEST, FULL INFORMATION REGARDING THE NUMBER OF SHARES SOLD AT EACH SEPARATE PRICE WITHIN THE RANGES SET FORTH IN THIS FOOTNOTE.

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